INDIANAPOLIS, JUNE 25, 1845. For Congress, Fifth District.

WILLIAM W. WICK.

Honor to the Illustrious Dead.

The news of the death of General Jackson reached Washington on the morning of June 16. The President, immediately after the time, "look before he leaps." reception of the sorrowful intelligence of the lowing order, which we copy from the Union: dlebaugh, who is now sole proprietor.

By the President of the United States: plores his loss, and will ever cherish his mem-tof apparently the most favorable kind-with fair

Post Office, the office of the Attorney Geneduring the whole day to-morrow.

JAMES K. POLK. Washington City, June 16, 1845.

absence of Gov. Marcy, is also acting Secretaing General Order. It is, as the Ohio States one who, as a warrior and statesman, had

"filled the measure of his country's glory:" GENERAL ORDER. Washington, June 16, 1845. heartfelt sorrow, announces to the army, the satisfaction of our efforts, and who seemed desirous of navy, and the marine corps, the death of An- having a paper of some sort kept up in the county DREW JACKSON. On the evening of Sunday, the eighth day of June, about six o'clock, he at least one third of them, by absence and otherwise, parent and guardian ought to be, have now an opporresigned his spirit to his heavenly Father. Thave refused to continue their patronage. On the The nation, while it learns with grief the gother hand most of the patrons of the Hoosier & death of its most illustrious citizen, finds so-Ledger, are satisfied with the arrangement, and have lace in contemplating his venerable character continued their support. and services. The valley of the Mississipping beheld in him the bravest, and wisest, and most fortunate of its defenders. The coun-grothe Gazette, but because we are indignant at try raised him to the highest trusts in military and in civil life, with a confidence that never abated, and an affection that followed him in undiminished vigor to retirement. watched over his latest hours, and pays its tribute at his grave. Wherever his lot was cast, he appeared among those around himfirst in natural endowments and resources, not less than first in authority and station. The power of his mind impressed itself on the policy of his country, and still lives, and will live forever, in the memory of its peo, le. Child of a forest region, and a settler of the

wilderness, his was a genius which, as it came Whig journals by his excellent letter on the State of to the guidance of affairs, instinctively at-lindana. We can see but small cause for this unless, tached itself to general principles, and, inspired by the truth which his own heart revealed to him in singleness and simplicity, he found always a response in the breast of his the good faith and actual exertions of the citizens of countrymen. Crowned with glory in war. in his whole career as a statesman, he showed himself the friend and lover of peace. With an American heart, whose throbs were all for republican freedom and his native land, he yet longed to promote the widest intercourse, and the most intimate commerce between the many nations of mankind. He was the servant of humanity. Of a vehi ment will, he was patient in council, deliberating long, hearing all things; yet in the moment of action, deciding with rapidity. Stion, of the Board of Commissioners, (through whose Of a noble nature, and incapable of disguise, extreme imprudence the State lost three millions of his thoughts lay open to all around him, and dollars,) were Whigs. You cannot imagine that won their confidence by his ingenious frankness. His judgment was of that solidity, that he ever tempered vigor with prudence. The flushings of anger could never cloud his fac-geredit. It seems to me of far less importance to d ulties, but rather kindled and lighted them up, cide who brought her into her difficulties, than to de after. quickening their energy without disturbing their balance. In war, his eye at a glance discerned his plans with unerring sagacity; in peace, he proposed measures with instinc-Jackson's last letter was written to President Polk on brief history of Texas. An interesting article on the ling off sixty acres of land, occurred on the 3d inst. tive wisdom, of which the inspirations were Friday, the 6th inst., and that it was in relation to Oregon question—an argument on the American side at Warsaw, Ulster Co., N. Y. In its postage it Oregon domain. prophecy. In discipline stern, in a just reso-gour foreign affairs. The last time he signed his name of the controversy, based on the history of the terri-perossed the Rondout stream, literally clearing the bed lution inflexible, he was full of the gentlest affections, ever ready to solace the distressed. Thos. F. Marshall had written to inquire into the sit-Sit. This is the only political paper in the magazine, the bed of the stream for Territory, we earnestly hope, is not reserved for the and to relieve the needy; faithful to his friends, fervid for his country. Indifferent to other rewards, he aspired throughout life to? an honorable fame, and so loved his fellowmen, that he longed to dwell in their affec. Texas Election.—The last accounts from Texas Election and filled with the longed to dwell in their affec. Texas Election.—The last accounts from Texas election and filled with the longed to dwell in their affects. tionate remembrance. Heaven gave him represent the people as engaged in electing members are of that sterling worth that have earned for the shold that he may-and more than this-if she be inhabitants the mighty area already sprinkled with length of days, and he filled them with deeds to the Fourth of July Convention. Many of the citi-Review its reputation. of greatness. He was always happy; happy zens object to the call of such a convention, considerin his youth, which shared the achievement ing Congress as competent to settle the subject of anof our national independence; happy in his nexation. The Congress of the Republic was to asafter years, which beheld the valley of the semble on the 16th. Its proceedings will be full of sment to Messrs. Halsey and Dowdall, by whom the West cover itself with the glory of free and interest to this country, and intelligence of its doings

marine corps, will wear crape on the left arm ever did before. I believe, most sincerely, that Great the semi-weekly where they noticed or inserted our dead, thus far, in the ruins, and on their swords, and the colors of the Britain will go the extent of five millions to buy the prospectus. If we have neglected any, on notice, we several regiments will be put in mourning, majority which may be necessary, in the Texan Con-will immediately rectify the omission. for the period of six months. At the naval gress, to ratify the treaty with Mexico. Suppos stations, and on public vessels in commission. This to be done, and that the Texian people amex the flags will be worn at half-mast for one week; and on the day after this order is re-gico, France, and England! Is it not certain that the ceived, twenty-one minute guns will be fired. Wwar will come upon us soon, and come suddenly !" beginning at 12 o'clock. At each military station, the day after the reception of this Chio continues to pay the interest on her state are gind to learn, nowever, that state order, the national flag will be displayed at efforts to pay her August instalment. Indiana doesn't M. J. Clarke, Pastor of the Church. half-staff from sunrise to sunset; thirteen even try! Who isn't ashamed !- Tippecanoe Jour guns will be fired at day-break; half-hour and, gans during the day; and at the close of the You talk like a gump. Let us have a democratic day a general salute. The troops will be legislature next winter, and we shall "try," as w paraded at 10 o'clock, and this order read to did last year, to do something to relieve your shame. them, on which the labors of the day will In default of this, we recommend to you as a mea-

cease. tain their influence, and when energy and interest, and we will give you due credit for the paycourage are called to trial, emulate his ex- ment thereof. Meantime, "take civet," &c. GEORGE BANCROFT. Acting Secretary of War, and

lectual vigor to the last, and in his dying moments, gold papers the advertisements convey as good an idea an uncetentatious manner.

More Signs.

a flag of truce-or neutrality. We have now to no-sable to get the exact date.

damper over our business. We continued on, how-fown throat. ral, and the Executive Mansion, be instantly ed to the earth, we might rise again. But before we source entitled to credit. It may be proper to add, the current of Mexican wrath. put into mourning, and that they be closed had time fairly to recover from our defeat in Novem-that the husband and wife had occasionally separated ber, we began to discover that there was "rottenness" n Denmarh," and that inducements had been held out before the awful tragedy. per we were then publishing, when, from pecuniary nence will prevent it. Touch not; taste not; handle onsiderations, we were compelled to abandon its ry of War, on the same day issued the fellow-spublication and cease our efforts in the Whig cause. Inot. As the best means of neutralizing the party strength - P. S. We have since learned that the man did not in the county, and after we had thoroughly canvassed cut his weasand sufficient to produce death. man observes, a beautiful tribute from the the chances for the success of a Whig sheet, and upfirst historian of the age, to the memory of on consultation, we concluded to join with our neighbor, who was then publishing a Democratic paper. ne success of which we could not doubt, as there ap peared to be no great necessity for political discussions, and party excitement. The experiment has HEIR PATRIOTISM, for be it said to their discredit that establishing a first rate school in this city, as every the public men our generation has produced. I

> extensive subscription list, much larger than we had as well as a ripe scholar and experienced teacher, all aight we had reason to expect better things.

We now take our leave, with an affectionate fare-freel sure he deserves, a liberal encouragement. ell to each and every body. We feel the triped uner us giving way; our----pen q-u-i-v-e-r-s in ou ngers-we are going-g-o-n-e!!!!!!!!! H. C. CHILD.

R. D. Owen.

The New York News of June 9, thus notices the ecent attacks which have been made by the Whigh eaders here, against Mr. Owen :

Robert Dale Owen, Member of Congress fro statesman, has excited the especial ire of some of the ccived. be just for reason offence, to point out, as Mr. Ow-k er to the Indiana Statesman, Mr. Owen coolly ex-

ses the unblushing falsehoods: "You must know well that during the entire period throughout which the internal improvement mania chole system,' were Whigs; that every member but wo of the Board of Internal Improvement wer Whigs; and that every member, without one excep-

itizen of Indiana, that I desired to speak of her del ermine how she shall get out of them."

Gen. Jackson's las. Letter.

untion of his health-the letter was answered by his if indeed this should be styled political. The contents about 100 yards, forming a dam at one dash acros Jackson-that frank was his last signature.

ever increasing States; happy in his age, will be anxiously looked for. It may settle the whole industry, and we hope their successors will be able twenty millions, and freedom and union make vention.

their pathway from the Atlantic to the Pacific; thrice happy in death, for while he be- Barrish Gold in Texas .- The Washington Corres for their future happiness, and to the present ones. lieved the liberties of his country imperisha-pondent of the Journal of Commerce, speaking of the ble, and was cheered by visions of its con-glexas Convention, to be held in relation to annexa-

stant advancement, be departed from this life tion, says .in full hope of a blessed immortality, through "I do not suppose that they will be more corruptible the merits and atonements of his Redeemer. Ithan other bedies have been, but I will venture to say Officers of the army, the navy, and the this, -that they will, if they agree to annexation refuse more gold than any public body in America hemselves according to our proposition,-is it no ertain that we shall be involved in a war with Mex-

sure of personal relief, that you hand over to the Let the virtues of the illustrious dead re-Treasury your share of the debt due, principal and

O'The advertisements is that part of a paper edi Secretary of the Navy, sted by the public, says the Philadelphia Ledger, and therefore the most interesting. There is more trut 6-7-tien. Jackson, it is stated, retained his intel-gin this than might be supposed at first blush. In very as any thing can.

Awful Murder and Suicide. of the Whig and Democratic papers at Columbus, In-scide, which took place near Palestine, some 15 miles Charleston, S. C., files of papers from Havana have diana, and the agreement of the editors to sail under east of this place, a few days since. We were not been received to the 8th inst.

Although our career in the editorial corps has been, wife, who is represented as having been rather a "hard in good personal health and spirits. short, yet it has been attended with no little toil and customer." She afterwards twitted her husband of The British Mail Steamship Dee also arrived at friends he may have to elect him. Why we should a denominated the "Mexican Republic." ANDREW JACKSON is no more! He depart- vexation, which serves, no doubt, to lessen our re-being a beggar. The whole matters operating on Havana on the 7th inst., with Gen. Bustamente on vote for Mr. Finley I cannot perceive. He is a rank ed this life on Sunday, the eighth instant, full grets on ending it so soon. When we commenced him, he procured a barrel of whiskey, which he board, on his way to Mexico. of days and full of honors. His country de-four career in Columbus, it was under circumstances brought home, when she told him he ought to have the United States Bank, a high Protective Tariff, and all the other odicus Whig measures. Shall we after plores his loss, and will ever cherish his mem-tot apparently the most lavorable kind—with large purchased arsenic. While he was asleep, she let the strong practical evidence that such was the case (says having so gloriously succeeded in electing Mr. Polk, While a nation mourns, it is proper promises of both the cause which we advocated, and the contents of the barrel run out; and when he awoke the Charleston Courier) is the fact that the Neptuna, now turn round and unite as a party in supporting that business should be saspended, at least enterprise in which we had embarked. But before and found what she had done, he immediately attack. the property of Mexicans, had been ordered to News such a man? Shall we give our sanction to such for one day, in the executive departments, as we had proceeded far, a cloud arose in the political ed her, beat and killed her, and afterwards severed York to refit, which would, of course, not have been principles by uniting in the support of a man wh a tribute of respect to the illustrious dead. There are many Democrats with an axe. He then delib-sevent.

Indianapolis High School.

We invite particular attention to the advertis ement in another column, under the above head. that the abilities and acquirements of Mr. McKinney

The County Seminary.

ance and control. We hope he will receive, as we

Has just commenced a new session, under the aus-gage" is the following from the Journal vs. the ices of teachers who are highly spoken of. Well Press hope it will not only maintain, but increase the exellent reputation acquired for it by Mr. Kemper. idiana, a good Democrat, and an intelligent and able much more attention than they have heretofore re-

Popular Lectures on Botany.

We are glad to learn that Mr. J. C. McKinney a does, a clear and honorable way in which Indiana Principal of the Indianapolis High School, propose to deliver a course of twenty popular lectures at the Vestry of the Second Presbyterian Church, on the dendiana, respecting their bonds; and in re-payment lightful science of Botany. Here is a first rat ome of them are striving to fasten upon him and his chance for some of that pleasurable mental imfriends, the discredit of the State insolvency. In a let-provement, which our young men talked about in the papers last winter; better than any thing then sug-let the Courier into the secret of its importance. ested, because the young ladies, and matrons, can participate in it, with equal pleasure and profit. Let CRIME IN MICHIGAN.—There are at present II?

New Books.

TURNER, has sent us a "whole pile" of specimens of new and beautiful books, which he has just receivd either forgotten or overlooked such facts as these ded by express from the East. They absolutely make We can't particularize just now-too much agitated Shall dwell on them with epicurean deliberation here-

DEMOCRATIC REVIEW .- The June number of the work is illustrated with a portrait of Mieabeau I We understand says the Nashville Union, that Gen. LAMAR, who has occupied so large a space in the son, Andrew Jackson, jr., and franked by Andrew are various and interesting. The Bridal of Pennacook, the whole stream impervious as masonry. by Whittier, is a poem of evident originality and merit; the Faro Table, a story from the German, is the May a man marry his deceased wife's sister

Chillicothe Advertiser.

Messrs. Hough and Pine have sold this establish Advertiser will in future be conducted. The former editors have earned a high reputation for talents ar which saw the people multiplied from two to matter at once, without the intervention of the con-gin following in their footsteps, to sustain the high editors, we tender, in their retirement, our best wishes the largest in that city. - Boston Journal. your kindest wishes for their success in their respon- cing.

bie undertaking. - Ohio Statesman. We subscribe to every word of the above.

Semi-Weekly Exchanges.

in exchanging with our cotemporaries in this State \$5,000,000 - forty-one persons having been found

Correction.

In our notice a few weeks ago, of the robbery of fan especial grudge against him. he Catholic Churches, we inadvertantly mentioned

McNully.

se has been decided in the Circuit Court. Judge has not been rendered as yet. BANCH pronounced the opinion of the Court, affirming the sufficiency of the indictment. It is expected a trial of McNulty will take place during the present erm of the Criminal Court,

Albert L. Holmes, of Carroll County, has nominated himself as a Whig candidate for Congress in he Eighth District. He is very small potatoes, and very few in a hill.

Grame local articles as well as miscellaneous matter will be found on the first page of the semi

Mexico. Indiana State Sentinel.] But a week or two since we chrenicled the union We have just learned of an awful murder and suid Bantshment of Santa Anna.—By an arrival at

tice the retirement of the Whig editor, and instead of The particulars as far as we can learn, are as fol- Havana on the 7th inst., from Vera Cruz, which port advance, and we have strong hopes that we shall send I taking the responsibility" of charging the Whigelow: A German, by the name of Nep, occasionally she left on the 1st instant, having on board Gen. Santa Anna, lady and family, who were banished from the next Legislature, and also two from Union county. They were going to Venezuela. General If we can succeed in this it will render a Democratic later as not advance, and we have strong hopes that we shall send political organization. Thus, in the discussion of two Democratic Representatives from this county to the New York Historical Society concerning the property with proscription of any and every thing demo-kin the habit of drinking demo-kin the next Legislature, and also two from Union county. Posed change of the designation of the United States, Mexico. They were going to Venezuela. General If we can succeed in this it will render a Democratic later as not advance, and we have strong hopes that we shall send political organization. Thus, in the discussion of two Democratic Representatives from this county to Democratic Representatives from the next Legislature, and also two from Union county. They were going to Venezuela. General If we can succeed in this it will render a Democratic later as not a democratic later as n es in his own way, by giving his article in full. It and both left the doggery in Palestine for the Ger- on his arrival at Havana, being escorted to his lodg- We are yet in an usettled condition in regard to." United States;" and that, therefore, our name will be seen that they never hesitate to sacrifice their man's home. After there, some difficulty arese, and ings by bands of music, while little attention was the Congressional election, and I am sorry to learn will be seen that they never hesitate to sacrifice their man's home. After there, some difficulty arese, and paid to General Bustamente; thus showing that a division exists among the Democracy as to the tions of sugar from countries with which Great Britisheds, provided it gives them a stepping stone the individual had his ribs broken by the German. Unit opinion was quite unfavorable to the newly consciouse to be pursued. I am fully convinced that there and stepping stone the unfavorable to the newly consciouse to be pursued. I am fully convinced that there are the countries with which Great Britisheds. to power and place. We hope Mr. Child will, next After getting sober, he threatened the German with a stituted authorities of Mexico. No particulars are is but one course by which the party can be saved and has treaties of reciprocity, the United States of suit, telling him that he would take away his proper- given as to the course pursued by the Mexican Gov- from the evils of divided councils; and that is, to With this number we close our editorial ca-ty and farm, the latter having cost him \$1700 in ernment in banishing Santa, but Captain P. under-bring out a Democratic candidate and give him the founded upon a very false idea of the Mexican Govdeath of this truly great man, issued the fol-freer, in this place, perhaps forever. We have dis-cash. This caused the German to immediately trans- stood that the decree prescribed an absence of tentiful strength of the party. If we are out-numbered in the decree prescribed an absence of tentiful strength of the party. posed of our interest in the establishment to Mr. Krifer his property to his child. This operated on his
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of State, the Treasury, War, the Navy, the success of our principles, and threw a crately stood up before a looking glass, and cut his The Havana papers say that in their Mexican files no such arrangements. They are not struggling to they find nothing touching the difficulties about Tex-sadvance the interest of particular men, but to sustain ever, having the consoling thought that though crush- These are the facts as we get them; and from a as-which certainly indicates a great moderating of what they believe to be correct principles. If the

of Legation and some Mexican soldiers, in which the may get it. They are contending for important prin- Chiapas former considered himself and his nation grossly in ciples, and if they cannot get men to vote for who Chihuahua o us which were not likely to be realized. We con- Young men! these are the consequences of rum sulted. The Secretary had required of the Govern-swill sustain their principles, they will not vote at all. Coahuila tinued on in the even tenor of our way, until the endydrinking! Would you desire your names heralded to ment of Mexico prompt redress for the insult, in the We have many good Democrats in this District who Durango The Secretary of the Navy, who, in the soft the first volume of the Columbus Gazette, the pa-sthe world in such a connection? Nothing but absti- punishment of the soldiers, or he would immediately would be an honor to the State as members of Congress. Guanajuato demand his passports.

Mr. Van Buren.

plimentary article in the Richmond Enquirer, says: "A great deal of Southern 'justice to Mr. Van Euren' has been done since his retirement to private life, unspeaks for itself, but it nevertheless may not be amiss men having a political future. The Charleston Mer-Britain and Ireland, vice Edward Everett, recalled. succeeded tolerably well, but not, however, as well as for us to say, that we have had a practical trial of cury has recognized him as one of the soundest statessucceeded tolerably well, but not, however, as well as for us to say, that we have had a practical trial of Leary has recognized initial as the soundest states. Apalachicola, Florida, vice Hiram Nourse, resigned. Indians and half-breeds, with some few negroes.

We expected that the most of our athe ability of Mr. McKinney as a teacher, and though men in the Union, on all the cardinal principles of Ezra Chesebro, Collector of the Customs at Ston- For political purposes, the inhabitants are div The President of the United States, with former Whig friends, who had expressed their entire it was made under great disadvantages and depress constitutional doctrines, dear to the South; and even sington, Connecticut, vice Giles R. Hallam, removed. ing circumstances, it was, notwithstanding, entirely no small number of his whig opponents have not been satisfactory. Those citizens who are interested in backward to confess him one of the first and best of can never again be President—difficult as it is to im tunity every way worthy of improvement. It can be agine any combination of circumstances which would the public service without the slightest solicitation on age of twenty-one years, if unmarried, or eighteen said, without the slightest disparagement to others, induce him to accept another nomination, and unlike-this part. He has been for several years in retire-tyears, if married, as possess a yearly income of two ly as is any such combination to occur; but he never-timent, if the successful management of the Baltimer We do not leave this paper because we are compel-pare not surpassed by any other teacher in this vicini-theless at this moment may be said to possess in a d to for want of support, for we have now a pretty ty. As a gentleman of integrity and moral worth, higher degree than any other man living, the actual tried and tested confidence of the people in his wis may feel safe in subjecting their children to his guid-dom, prudence, patriotism and mental power."

horses" very comfortably. The last "friendly pas-

Waiter! bring pistols for two and coffee for one!

"IMPORTANT JUDICIAL DECISION.—We find in the Eastern papers the following statement of a decision recently made by judge McLean:"

The above are the introductory lines to an article in the Wabash Courier, from a report, which originall ppeared in the State Sentinel, of a decision made at the last session of the U. S. Circuit Court in this city. It needed the "Eastern" endorsement, we suppose, to

revailed, our State government through all its de-gour young friends, of both sexes, improve so good angeonvicts in the State Prison of Michigan, 10 of whom \$5. partments, was Whig; that three-fourths, at the very opportunity, and we shall hear less complaint hereaf-gare sentenced for life. The oldest prisoner is 78 believe, to the number of nearly three hundred, complaint hereaf-gare sentenced for life. east, of all the leading supporters of 'the system, the ter of a want of some rational method of spending years of age, the youngest ten years! Since March, stituting with the battery at Fort Calhoun, a weight 1839, when the prison was first opened, it has con-sof metal sufficient to resist any attempted invasion of tained 294 prisoners, which number has included but three females. 36 have been pardoned, and but Saindeed, the batteries should always be mounted.

FASTING .- There is a woman in the Vigo County heretofore pursued by the Government .- Norfolk of longer duration than fifteen days, but still tempo-* But it was not as a party man, it was as a your eyes glisten and our mouths water! Delightful ! Poor House, who, according to the Wabash Express, Beacon. as recently fasted forty days and forty nights, paraking of nothing during the whole time, but co rater and sassafras tea without sugar. At the close of the period of fasting, she asked for food, and is gave up to Britain in the last treaty, and which was now getting along as formerly, eating and enjoying claimed by the British Cabinet with the clearest proof cod health. She is reputed insane.

A DESTRUCTIVE LAND SLIDE. - A land slide, carry- question, let it beware what it does. After what he was on Saturday evening, the 7th inst. The Hon. Story, and of the treaties and conventions which affects of all obstructions, and deposited its contents to the Jonathan, in adjusting the boundary of the Oregon

ing of the directors of the Merrimack Manufacturing to hold it in trust for the republican communit haracter the paper has acquired. To the former erect a large new mill. It will be, when completed, fairly our own, will shortly spring up on the coast of

This is the ruin the election of Mr. Polk is produ-

total number of houses destroyed was 1630-46 sts. until it is fledged. We have endeavored to comply with our promise being completely swept. The loss they put down at

the Church at Lafayette as having been one of them. The crops are said by the Layfayette papers to How we happened to do so, we cannot remember. We look well in that neighborhood. The Franklin Co Ohio continues to pay the interest on her State are glad to learn, however, that it has not been Democrat, says the same of the crops in that vicinity.

New Jersey. It is done under the plea of Apprec

on a wager at New Orleans, has completed his task leaged about six weeks in the journey.

Since the first day of April last, more than fiftee proved by fires, in the United States.

"FATHER, TAKE ME IN."-A gentleman living Cleveland, got up the other morning and found a nic tion pinned to its cap :- "Father, take me in."

CORRESPONDENCE.

FAYETTE COUNTY, In., June 20, 1845. Messes. Charmans:-I take the liberty of sending you a few lines on the subject of politics in this part The British Mail Steamship Medway arrived at of the State. The cause of Democracy is on the

Efinley of Wayne county, and try to help what Whis Whig; opposed to Texas and Oregon, in favor of whom I have conversed who are determined to go into controversy is to be whether Smith or Finley shall ge A difficulty had occurred with the French Secretary eight dollars a day, they do not care which of them? With such men to run why should we be hunting after Jalisco Whig candidates! For my part, I say give us a Mexico Democrat for a candidate or none. Democracy needs Michoacan The New York News, in referring to a very com- no sid from Whigism, Abolitionism, or any other Nuevo-Leon A DEMOCRAT OF 1840.

Appointments by the President.

Louis McLane, of Maryland, Plenipotentiary and what greater at the present time.

Mission to London.

We congratulate the country on the appointment of B, Louis McLane, as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister tined tolenipotentiary to London. He has been invited to and Ohio Railroad company, as president of that in-Thonest labor, as a member of the House of Representatives, then, following principal cival functionaries, elected or as minister to England, Secretary of the Treasury, Jappointed in the manner hereafter described : and Secretary of State, and as minister to London, he as earned a name as a state-man and a patriot, of The Whig Editors of the Tippecanoe Journal which his country may be justly proud. He seems and the Crawfordsville Press, don't seem to "hitch commently calculated to meet the present erisis be-Chamber of Deputies. tween the two countries. This able and experienced rentleman accepts the office of minister at the most distinguished court in the world, at one of the most "Bausman has proved himself in his last week's tween the two countries, and when the most imporaper, what we have for sometime suspected him to hant interests of his own nation are involved in the mean and dastardly puppy. Not only does he sissue. He carries with him to the court of St. James partment are supposed to be divided into partidos of Such institutions as these, training and developing, as ideal in unworthy and dark institutions, such as no great talents, extended experience, particularly at 500 each, the citizens in which choose primary electis their province, the minds of the rising generation, shonorable man would indulge in; but he is guilty of that court, where he formerly represented the inter-gors at the rate of one for each partido; the primary are of inestimable importance, and should attract the most palpable and downright lying. We there-cests of the United States with great distinction. Pru-electors then meet and choose secondary electors at re cut his acquaintance, and strike his paper from dent, firm and sagacious, he will assert and maintain to the rights of his own country, without violating the respect which is due to the British government. H the country; and in none more so than on the impor-

tant questions of Texas and Oregon. We understand that Mr. McLane will probably eave the United States as early as by the steamer of the department; which last elect the President of the he 15th July .- Washington Union.

der has been issued from the War Department int the batteries of the various fortifications for he protection of the Atlantic coast. We learn that y engaged in executing the order. The whole con tement of guns-and among these are 42 pounder -for the fortification of this garrison, amounts, w the fleets of the most formidable European power This is a precautionary measure of clear propriet is very questionable, moreover, whether there is an saving, in an economical point of view, in the cours

The whole Territory of Oregon is as justly and indisputably ours as the portion Maine which w of our title before their eyes in the Foreign Office. If our Government is negotiating in regard to the chappened in regard to the Maine boundary, the nation is not in a humor to give up a hand-breath of th

British Cabinet. Let it be adjusted, if you please, Mr. Bull, but not quite so satisfactorily to you as the other question.

Our Republic, we have seen it somewhere said,

large enough already, or at all events will be big enoug syoung, pretty, amiable and accomplished, and neces-settlements, which is drained by the Mississippi and lits tributaries; and it is not our policy to encumb sary to his happiness, we think him a great fool if he our empire with an appendage lying beyond the barridon't-maugre all the parsons may say to the contra- of the Rocky Mountains. Whatever may be though of this consideration, it has nothing to do with the regotiation between the two countries. If we wa We learn from the Lowell Courier, that at a meet- inot the Oregon territory for ourselves, it is our du ompany holden the present week, it was decided to which, if we do not pusillanimously resign what Imerged in the great British Colonial Empire which extending itself on all sides, already advances toward us from eastern Asia. If we cannot take the ne THE QUEBEC FIRE.—The committee of the investi- settlements into a political partnership, we may a least cherish their infancy until they are strong enough cation of the Quebec fire have made their report. The for self-protection. We may nourish the young eag

SINGULAR AND FATAL FREAK OF LIGHTNING .man named Stevens, in the town of Riga, near Re four times in two months. The element must have out at the chin-making a hole about the size of an ordinary bullet. It then passed down his limbs and went through his foot, tearing off the sole of his g was killed also.

tells the following, and of course vouches for its truth Some colored persons are still held in slavery in A very singular freak of lightning occurred in La Froy, Bradford county, last week. It struck the corne The National Intelligencer says that McNulty's Courts-ably and thoroughly argued, but the decision pipe into the bar-room, where all the tumbiers sitting he stove, very much after the fashion of good Persian Ellsworth the pedestrian, who has been walking Fire Worshippers. Thence it went through the floor, hole through that, and demolished a barrel of beer, tunnel. The bottle was the next object of attraction, Republic. Millions of dollars worth of property has been des-Zand that was shivered into small particels. The visitor struck the young man above his knees, ran down his pantalogns and got out at the toes of his boots. requested to be buried without military parade, and of the manners and babits of the people of the time, weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with this inscription in the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, in a basket, at the door, with the weekly little baby, at the weekly little baby, at the weekly

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The Mexican Republic. Notwithstanding the degree of public attention which late events have drawn to the condition and affairs of Mexico, there seems to prevail much misconception in regard to the form and nature of its is an equivocal one. So, also, in the new British Mexico are spoken of, together with Venezuela and the United States of America. These expressions are

According to the subsisting constitution of Mexico, which was adopted and promulgated in June, 1843, and is entitled "Bases of political organization of the Mexican Republic," the territory of the Republic comprehends what was, prior to the Revolution of the anish American colonies-

1. The viceroyalty of New Spain.

2. The Capitania General of Yucatan. 3. The comandancias of the internal provinces of

4. Upper and Lower California.

This territory-excepting the Californias and Texas is now divided by law into departments, with an

estimated population for each as follows, namely 69,698 Puebla 661,902 141,206 Queretaro 120,560 321,840 147,600 San Luis Potosi 75,340 Sinaloa 147,000 124,000 162,618 Sonora 63,580 512,606 Tabasco 100,068 679,311 Tamaulipas 1,389,520 Vera Cruz 254,380 580,948 497,906 Yucatan 273,575 101,108 Zacatecas 57,026 500,278 6,982,070

estimated three years since at only 33,439, but someder circumstances placing him beyond the category of Envoy Extraordinary to the United Kingdom of Great Of the whole population of (say) 7,000,000 souls, it is estimated that not more than one-seventh are SAMUEL W. Spencer, Collector of the Customs at whites; the remaining six-sevenths consisting of

To which add the Californias, with a population

For political purposes, the inhabitants are divided 1. Mexicans, as distinguished from foreigners. All Mexicans are nominally free; but they do not. f course, possess political rights, for these are con-

2. Citizens, who consist of such Mexicans of the nundred dollars, derived from capital, industry, or

stitution, can be considered as a retirement. First, The Government of the republic is composed of the

2. The Executive Ministers.

3. The Congress, composed of a Senate and a

5. The Supreme Court. 6. The Department of Assemblies.

7. The Governors of Departments. Popular elections are to be holden throughout the public biennially. All the inhabitants of each dehe rate of one secondary for every twenty primary electors; all of whom, primary and secondary, are equired to have each a yearly income of five hundred orthodox on the great questions which now divide dollars; and the secondary electors, chosen by this ouble process, constitute, in each department, its lectoral college, by whom are elected the deputies to the Congress, and the members of the assembly of

public and two-thirds of the Senators. 1. The President of the republic. He is elected Defences of the Atlantic Border.-A general for five years, and is required to be a native-born itizen, forty years of age, and of secular condition His powers and duties resemble those of the President f the United States; but he cannot exercise any one of his attributes without the instrumentality of the inister to whose branch of the public service the act be performed belongs. And, among other disabilities, he is expressly forbidden to alienate, cede, exchange, or hypothecate, any part of the territory of he republic; and he cannot, without the permission of Congress, command the military and naval forces of the republic in person, nor depart more than six eagues distant from the seat of Government. In ase of the sudden incapacity or absence of the President, his functions devolve on the President of he Council of State; if the incapacity or absence be

> 2. The ministers, who are appointed by the Presient, are four, namely:

rary, the Senate chooses a provisional President.

One of foreign relations, state, and police. One of justice, ecclesiastical affairs, public instruc-

One of treasury

One of war and navy.

3. Congress consists of the Senate and the Chamer of Deputies. The Senate is composed of sixty-three members, elected for six years, renewable in classes every two ears, as in the United States; two-thirds of each

lass being elected by the departmental assemblies, nd one-third by the President of the republic and the The Chamber of Deputies is composed of members hosen by the electoral colleges of the departments, n the ratio of one deputy for every seventy thousand

e number, and one at least for each department. The whole number is now 104. All bills originate in the Chamber of Deputies ; at the Senate and the President participate in their enactment into laws, as in the United States.

nhabitants, and one for each fraction exceeding half

4. The Council of State consists of seventeen egular members, appointed for life by the President. which are added all persons who have been Presient of the republic or minister for a year's time, all who have received from Congress the honorary rank of

ene meritos de la patria, and some others. 5. The Supreme Court. This body consists of leven judges, elected by the departmental assemblies, who try impeachments and all other questions involvg the acts of the civil functionaries of the republic. 6. The departmental assemblies are possessed of arious minor local functions, in subordination always

the legal authority of Congress. 7. The Governors of departments are appointed by To complete this brief exposition of the frame work

f the Mexican republic, it is necessary to state that t was established by the direct intervention of the chester, who was pleughing in a field when a storm army, and that it gives to them large power in the PECULIARLY UNFORTUNATE. One of the best citi-Parose, was struck by the lightning and killed instant-paffairs of the republic. The President may be, and zens of Pittsburg has been burned out no less than by. The fluid entered the top of the head and came always has been, a general, in actual commission as such; officers of the army are ministers and members of Congress; public affairs are discussed and votes taken thereupon by the troops as such; and each department has its commandant general-that is, its boot. One of the horses with which he was plough-military chief, as well as its political Governor. And when it is considered that the Government thus be-VAGARIES OF LIGHTNING .- The Pittsburg Ariel comes a kind of military hierarchy; that freedom of conscience is forbidden by the organic basis; that (according to trustworthy estimates) not one in seven of the inhabitants are able to read and wri'; that ticeship. The matter has been brought before the of a chimney of Morse's Tavern, ran down the stove the governing class (women and children included) consists of only one-seventh of the population; that on the bar fell on their sides with the tops towards the complicated system of elections tends still more to restrict and exclude popular influence; that all the resources of the country are squandered on a large drove down the outside of the cellar wall, made a standing army; and that thus every year or two witnesses a civil war and a military revolution in the of walking 1000 miles in 1000 hours. He was en-gand then stove in the head of a whiskey barrel, not Government; -when all these things are considered, stopping to drink. A young man had just drawn it will be easy to comprehend the state of disorganisome of the latter, and was filling a bottle with a zation and misrule which weighs down the Mexican

FALLING INTO A FORTUNE .- An Irishman, not long since, digging for lead in the district of Dubuque, leaving some blisters. This rendered the gentleman lowa, fell through the bottom of the hole into a large omewhat oblivious, and when his senses came back cavern, and on looking round found the inside coverthe lightning had stepped out, but by what passage is red with very pure lead. It was one of the richest